



Sewer Pipe Installation at 113th Ave. S.E. and Bellevue Way S.E.

Drivers should expect traffic detours and delays

To protect public health and the environment, King County Wastewater Treatment Division is installing a new 500 foot sewer pipe underneath Bellevue Way S.E. and the access road in Mercer Slough Nature Park east of 113th Avenue S.E.

The existing pipe is at the end of its service life and can no longer meet the community's needs. The new pipe will improve the wastewater system's reliability and capacity.

Work begins in late April and will last about two months.

Project Details

Crews will install 500 feet of new pipe between a manhole in the southbound lanes of Bellevue Way S.E. and the Swayolocken Pump Station in Mercer Slough Nature Park.

The two southbound lanes of Bellevue Way S.E. will be closed to traffic for 10-14 days while crews install and connect more than 100 feet of new pipe to the existing manhole. Southbound traffic on Bellevue Way S.E. will be reduced to a single lane and shifted to the western shoulder of Bellevue Way S.E. and 113th Ave. S.E. Northbound access to Bellevue Way S.E. from 113th Ave. S.E. will be prohibited and detoured to 112th Ave. S.E.

Crews will install the remaining 400 feet of pipe in the access road in Mercer Slough Nature Park leading to the Swayolocken Pump Station and Swayolocken Boat Launch. The access road will be closed to the public at two different times for a total of 14 days while this work occurs. Sidewalks and trail access will be maintained throughout the project.

What to Expect

- Work activity, heavy machinery, noise and dust from construction at the intersection of Bellevue Way S.E. and 113th Ave. S.E. and in the Mercer Slough Nature Park access road directly east of 113th Ave. S.E.
- Open pits, trucks, heavy machinery and material in the southbound lanes of Bellevue Way S.E. and the access road.
- Traffic detours and delays on Bellevue Way S.E., 113th Ave. S.E. and 112th Ave. S.E.
- Work hours will generally be 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., Monday – Saturday.

To avoid traffic delays, drivers should avoid Bellevue Way S.E., 113th Ave. S.E. and the northbound Bellevue Way exits on I-90 in May.

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QUESTIONS? Call the 24-hour construction hotline: 206-205-9196



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BELLEVUE WAY S.E. SEWER PIPE INSTALLATION April 2007

Traffic Impacts

April

The Sweyolocken boat launch access road closed to the public for 7-10 days. The access road will be closed again for a few days for repaving.

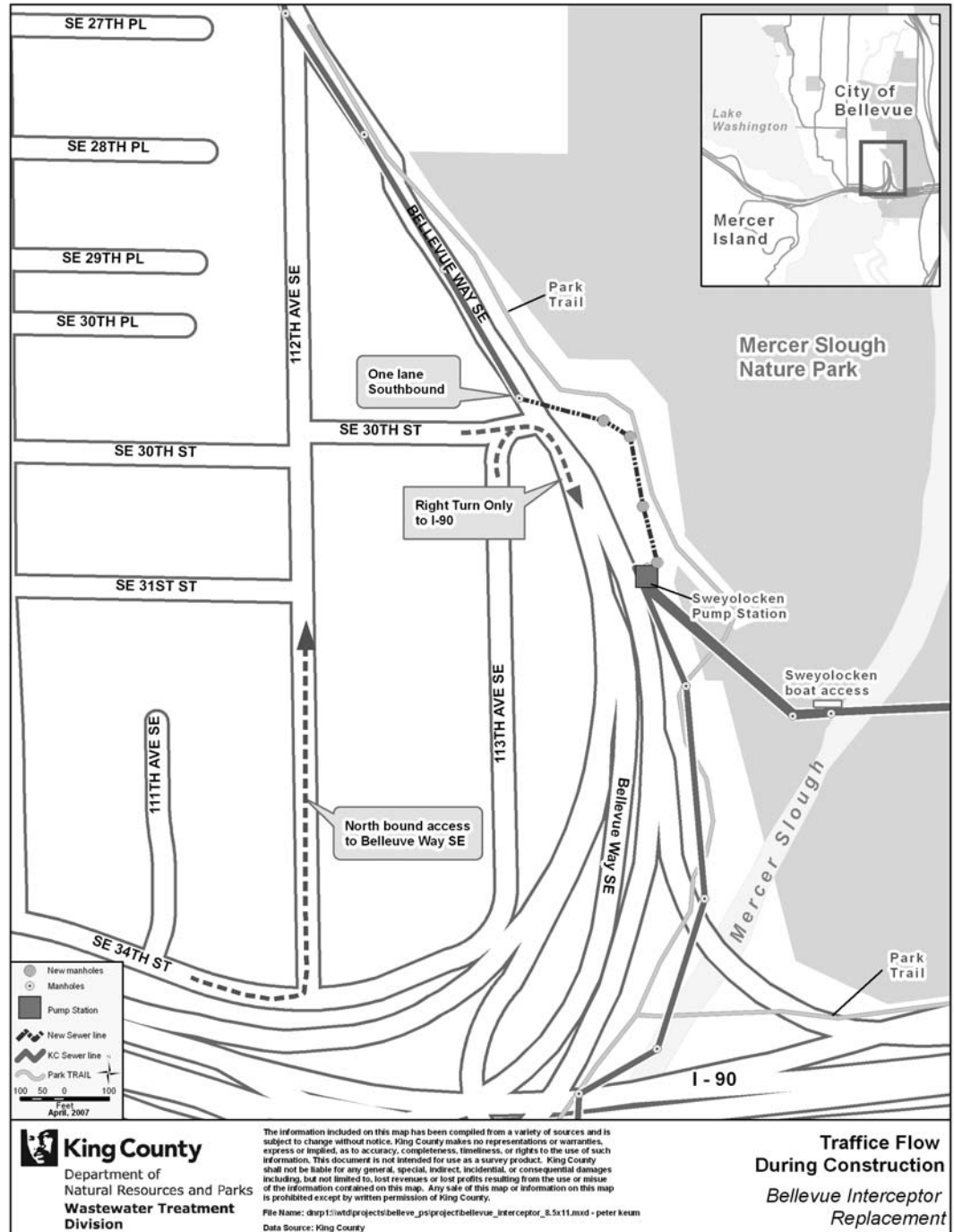
May

Southbound Bellevue Way S.E. reduced to one lane, northbound lanes condensed for about 10 days.

Access to Bellevue Way S.E. from 113th Ave. S.E. restricted to right turns only. Drivers seeking to access Bellevue Way SE northbound detoured to 112th Ave. S.E. at S.E. 34th Street.

Lanes in each direction on Bellevue Way S.E. at the intersection of 113th Ave. S.E. closed a few days for repaving near the end of the month.

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